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SUBJECT: SIFERINI LINKS LYSSARIDES TO CONSPIRACY CHARGES

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1. JULY 26 SIMERINI (WHICH IS PRO-CLERIDES) REPORTED
THAT SOCR LIST EDEK PARTY CHAIRMAN LYSSARIDES WAS
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CRITICAL OF GOC'S HANDLING OF GERMAN CONNECTION IN
RECENT CONSPIRACY MATTER, I.E. FONMIN ROLANDIS' DENIAL OF
GERMAN GOVERNMENT OR EMBASSY INVLOVEMENT. ACCORDING TOHH
SIMERINI LYSSARIYSS HAD BEEN THE ONE WHO ORIGINALLY PROVIDED
PRESIDENT KYPRIOANOU INFORMATION ON INVOLVEMENT OF FRG
POLITICIANS AND DIPLOMATS AND ISRAELI AGENTS IN INTERNAL
CYPRUS AFFAIRS.

2. COMMENT. AS NOTED PARA 6 REFTTEL, WE WERE STRUCK BY SIMILARITY BETWEEN ANNOUNCED CONSPIRACY AND EARLIER EDEK-SPONSORED PLOT CHARGES. SIMERINI ARTICLE REFLECTS OPINION OF MAY THOUGHTFUL CYPRIOTS WHO BELIEVE LYSSARIDES MANAGED TO SELL PLOT STORY TO KYPRIANOU, WHRIN ANY EVENT WAS LOOKING FOR AMMUNITION TO USE AGAINST OPPOSITION LEADER CLERIDES AND FORMER NEGOTIATOR CPADOPOULOS. THESE OBSERVERS ALSO BELIEVE LYSSARIDES STRONGLY INFLUENCED KYPRIANOU DURING PERIOD WHEN CONSPIRACY CHARGES WERE BEING ANNOUNCED. END COMMENT.
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